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My dear Sir:

I have to-day received your letter of June 24 jacking me up about Dr. Pennell and the Penstemon material here. Thank you for proding me up a bit; I need it. I have intended writing to Pennell, but had neglected doing so, partly because I saw no way of mounting the Scrophulariaceae until college opens, and I will not loan unmounted plants. Mounting goes slowly; you may have noticed when here that there is not always money available for all that one wants to do; in the last year and a half, we have mounted only about 7000 sheets, just the local ones and ~~what~~ we have loaned, but are hoping to do better.

I have just written Dr. Pennell and hope that he will accept a loan.

We collected about 5000 sheets this spring on the deserts and through the south and got some good things, new records, etc. We have already had several requests for sets from this material.

I thank you for the interest you are taking in our work and hope that I may gradually get things into better shape where more can be done.

Very truly yours,

74	25	1	"	"	35	"	1	Lygaeidae 1, Nabidae nymph, Ephydriidae ? 1
75	27	1	"	"	32	"	1	Epidermis with Mougeotia, Haltica ? 1
76	24	1	"	"	31	"	5	Epidermis, Proctotrupidae 1
77	24	1	"	"	33	"	6	Epidermis, Drassidae 2, Chalcididae 1, Insecta 1
78	26	0	"	"	35	"	6	Diptera adult & larva, Pollenia 1, Rhyncophora 1
79	25	0	"	"	35	"	6	Phoridae 1, Coleoptera larva
80	26	0	"	"	26	"	6	Epidermis
81	23	0	"	"	34	"	6	Lepidoptera larva
82	25	0	"	"	35	"	6	Diptera 1, Drosophilidae 1, Carabidae 1
83	25	0	"	"	32	"	5	Planorbis 1, Heteroptera 1, Staphylinidae 1
84	27	0	"	"	33	"	1	Epidermis, egg of Crustacea, Gamasidae 1, Mougeot
85	27	0	"	"	33	"	1	Tipulidae 1, Dytiscidae 1, plant tissue, Ulothrix pieces of chitin
86	27	0	"	"	31	"	1	Epidermis, Capsidae 1
87	25	0	"	"	30	"	1	Crustacea egg, Physopoda 1, Collembola 1, Formici
88	27	0	"	"	44	"	1	Lymnaea 1, Laccobius 1, sand
89	25	0	"	"	33	"	6	Aphididae 1, Diptera 1, Rhyncophora 1, winged see
90	26	0	"	"	36	"	6	Epidermis, Collembola 1, Chrysomelidae larva, Braconidae 1
91	23	0	"	"	48	"	6	Insecta larva, seed
92	27	0	"	"	50	"	6	Insecta larva, Hydrophilidae 1
93	26	0	"	"	34	"	6	Epidermis, Heteroptera 1, Pollenia 1, Diptera 1
94	27	0	"	"	43	"	6	Epidermis, Lymnaea 1, Argiopoidea 2, Jassidae 1, Diptera 1, Drosophilidae 1, Staphylinidae 1
95	28	0	"	"	55	"	6	Lymnaea 1, Capsidae 1, Psilopus 1, Laccobius 1
96	23	0	"	"	48	"	1	Daphnia eggs, Liancalus 1, Carabidae 1, Halipus Juncus ovary with Lepidop. larva, 2 Carex achenes
97	28	0	"	"	50	"	2	Insecta larva, Gryllus 1, Jassidae 1, Cercopidae Diptera adult & larva, Tipulidae 1, Acalyptera 1
98	24	0	"	"	40	"	6	Epidermis, Tipulidae adult & larva, Haliplidae 1 Proctotrupidae 1, small leaf
99	28	0	"	"	42	"	1	Heliochara (Jassidae) 3, Tipulidae 1, Coleoptera 1 Curculionidae 1, Ephydriidae 1, Chalcididae 1, Braconidae 1
100	28	0	"	"	40	"	1	Argia nymph, Lygaeidae 1, Reduviolus 1, Heliocha- ra 2, Sphaerophoria 1, Liancalus 1, Coleoptera larva, Philonthidae 1, Braconidae 1